

ELEVATED EMPLOYEES REJECT WAGE OFFER  
REDFIELD WILL IGNORE LABOR LEADERS  
RACE RIOTS MAY FOLLOW ILLINOIS SLAYING

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## REDFIELD PUSHED BY CITY AND STATE

**Lieut. Gov. O'Hara Demands Probe of Entire Steamship  
Service—Thompson May Ask Square Deal of Presi-  
dent—Discrepancy in Inspectors' Statements.**

Both the state of Illinois and the city of Chicago through their chief executives today put in plugs against the whitewash tactics of Sec'y Redfield and his board investigating U. S. inspectors and the Eastland sinking.

Barratt O'Hara, acting governor of the state of Illinois, faced the board today in Room 608 Federal bldg., and said that as a member of it who represents the people he wants the investigation broader. The whole question of what the U. S. steamboat inspection service is doing to make lake travel safer ought to be gone into, he stated. And officers of the Lake Stea-

men's union and interests of organized labor ought to be heard.

Mayor Thompson came out flat-footed that he's going to kick over the Redfield whitewash bucket if Redfield doesn't show signs of getting at the real blame for the Eastland sinking.

"I don't understand Redfield," said the mayor. "I cannot see this disaster in the light of a joke. If any attempt is made to whitewash the federal inspection service I'll take the first train to Washington and put it up directly to the president."

Congressman A. J. Sabath told a Day Book reporter he will ask con-